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Re: Description: WATER TREATMENT DEVICE- SOFTENER  
Manufacturer: WATERCARE CORPORATION  
Product Name: HOSTESS SERIES WATER SOFTENERS (POE)  
Model Number(s): CH86, UH86, UH89, UH1012, UH1015 AND UH1220  
Product File No: 20070362

The specifications and/or plans for this plumbing product have been reviewed and determined to be in compliance with chapters Comm 82 through 84, Wisconsin Administrative Code, and Chapters 145 and 160, Wisconsin Statutes.

The Department hereby issues an approval based on the Wisconsin Statutes and the Wisconsin Administrative Code. This approval is valid until the end of June 2013.

This approval supersedes the approval issued on January 16, 2003 under product file number 20020188.

This approval is contingent upon compliance with the following stipulation(s):

- This product has undergone sufficient testing to document the product's ability to reduce only those contaminants and/or substances as specified in this approval letter when the product is installed and maintained in strict accordance with the manufacturers published instructions.
- Where the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) has jurisdiction, a written approval may be required prior to installation of this product in a water supply system to reduce the concentration of a contaminant that exceeds the primary drinking water standards contained in ch. NR 809, Wis. Admin. Code, the enforcement standards contained in ch. NR 140, Wis. Admin. Code, or for a water supply system that is subject to a written advisory opinion by the DNR. For more information contact the DNR Section of Private Water Systems, P.O. Box 7921, Madison, WI 53707, telephone (608) 266-3415.
- If these approved devices are modified or additional assertions of function or performance are made, then this approval shall be considered null and void, unless the change is submitted to the department for review and the approval is reaffirmed.
- These cation exchange water softeners shall be sized, installed, programmed and maintained such that wastewater volumes, total dissolved solids and chloride discharges are minimized.

Based on testing data submitted to and reviewed by the department, this approval recognizes that these plumbing products will reduce the concentration of contaminants as specified on pages 1 through 2 of this letter.

**WATER SOFTENING CAPABILITIES  
PRODUCT FILE NUMBER 20070362  
TABLE 1 OF 1**

Model Numbers	Capacity*						Flow Rate vs. Pressure Loss
Hostess Series	Rating 1		Rating 2		Rating 3		
Time Clock	Grains	Pounds	Grains	Pounds	Grains	Pounds	gpm @ psig
CH86	8,900	2.0	14,800	5.5	16,400	9.0	6.0 @ 5.3
UH86	8,900	2.0	14,800	5.5	16,400	9.0	6.0 @ 5.3
UH89	13,400	3.0	22,200	8.3	24,600	13.5	9.0 @ 9.2
UH1012	17,800	4.0	29,600	11.0	32,800	18.0	12.0 @ 13.0
UH1015	22,300	5.0	37,000	13.8	41,000	22.5	12.7 @ 15.0
UH1220	29,700	6.7	52,700	18.3	61,000	30.0	10.9 @ 15.0

\* The softener capacity rating is based on grains of hardness, due to calcium and magnesium cations, removed (as calcium carbonate) while producing soft water between successive regenerations and is related to the pounds of salt required for each regeneration. The tests run to verify the data for table 1 of 1 were conducted in accordance with WQA standard S-100-85.

This device was tested under controlled laboratory, or field, conditions. The actual performance of this device for a specific end use installation will vary from the tested conditions based on local factors such as water pressure, water temperature and water chemistry.

The department is in no way endorsing this product or any advertising, and is not responsible for any situation which may result from its use.

Sincerely,

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